STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed Bids addressed to the City of Auburn, Maine 04210 and endorsed on the wrapper "Bid for WIN: 18500.00 Route 4 Highway Surfacing and Restriping in Auburn, Maine" will be received from contractors at the Auburn City Hall on 60 Court Street until 11:00 AM EST on Thursday, July 31, 2014 and at that time and place publicly opened and read. Bids will be accepted from all bidders. The lowest responsive bidder must have completed, or successfully complete, a <u>Highway Construction</u>, Paving or project-specific MaineDOT prequalification to be considered for the award of this contract.

Description: NHPP-1850(000); STATE WIN: 18500.00

Location: In Androscoggin County, the project is located along the Route 4 beginning approximately 675 ft south of Lake Shore Drive and extending northerly 0.56 miles.

Outline of Work: placement of hot mix asphalt (HMA) shim course, shoulder rehabilitation, HMA base pavement, resurfacing, and a new traffic pattern utilizing a two-way center left turn lane.

For general information regarding Bidding and Contracting procedures, contact Dan Goyette at (207)333-6601 ext 1134. For Project-specific information fax all questions to Dan Goyette at (207) 333-6625. Questions received after 12:00 noon of the Monday prior to bid date will not be answered. Bidders shall not contact any other City staff for clarification of Contract provisions, and the City will not be responsible for any interpretations so obtained. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at the City of Auburn, 60 Court Street, in Council Chambers located on the 2nd floor of Auburn Hall, on Tuesday, July 22, 2014 at 10:00 AM EST.

Copies of plans, specifications, and bid forms may be obtained from the City of Auburn website. They are only available electronically at http://www.auburnmaine.gov/Pages/Government/Bid-Notices at no cost. They may be viewed at the City between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. The bid documents cannot be purchased at the City.

Each Bid must be made upon blank forms provided by the City and must be accompanied by a bid bond at 5% of the bid amount or an official bank check, cashier's check, certified check, certificate of deposit, or United States postal money order payable to City of Auburn as a Bid guarantee. A Contract Performance Surety Bond and a Contract Payment Surety Bond, each in the amount of 100 percent of the Contract price, will be required of the successful Bidder.

This Contract is subject to all applicable Federal Laws. This contract is subject to compliance with the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise program requirements as set forth by the Maine Department of Transportation.

All work shall be governed by "State of Maine, Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, Revision of December 2002", and Standard Details, Revision of December 2002. Standard Detail updates can be found at http://www.maine.gov/mdot/contractors/publications/.

The right is hereby reserved to the City to reject any or all bids.

Auburn, Maine July 10, 2014